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A WEEK OF BASE BALL

TEXAS IS VICTORIOUS IN TWO GAMES—LOST GAME BY AN ERROR—ONE CALLED OFF

THREE GAMES PLAYED.

Texas was busy last week on the ball field. Four games were scheduled, two with Arkansas and two with St. Edwards, but the second Arkansas game was called off on account of the death of one of the students at the Woman's Building.

The game with the Transviers. Wednesday was a better one than the score would show. Texas won by a score of 12 to 0, and notwithstanding Arkansas played good steady ball.

The features of the game were Triggs' batting for Arkansas, and Shippy Robertson's catches for Texas. Robertson made some of the prettiest pull downs in center field ever seen on the diamond.

| Arkansas | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Milam, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fergus, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Triggs, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Webb, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Black, ss and p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blair, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shindelfang, lb | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ethridge, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Booker, p and ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Texas | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robinson, lf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Thrasher, lb | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Edwards, cf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Weller, 3b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Francis, c | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Beasley, 2b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Terrell, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lauhorn, rf | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Beasley, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

36 11 13 3 27 9 5
 Earned runs—Texas, 7.
 Three base hit—Weller.
 Bases on balls—Off Booker, 6; off Black, 2.
 Left on bases—Arkansas, 7; Texas, 7.
 Struck out—Beasley, 7; Black, 1.
 Hit by pitcher—Webb, J. Beasley, Ethridge.
 The two games with St. Edwards

resulted in a victory for Texas and St. Edwards successively. The game on Monday, the sun, was won by Texas, 4 to 3, on a wild throw to third base in the ninth inning. The game last Saturday, the sun, was lost to St. Edwards, 3 to 4, on a wild throw to third base, the score being 4 to 3.

| St. Edwards | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hubbard, c | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| P. Gallagher, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Diach, lf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Finger, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hicks, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Boardman, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Albright, ss | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Gallagher | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Walsh, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clark, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Texas | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robinson, lf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Waller, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Edwards, cf | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Beasley, lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Francis, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Terrell, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Beasley, 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Watson, lb | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shands, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Diach, rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

36 4 8 2 20 10 5
 Summary.
 Earned Runs—Texas, 1.
 Two Base Hits—Finger, J. Beasley, Edwards.
 Three Base Hits—Waller and Watson.
 Bases on Balls—Walsh, 2; Shands, 2.
 Struck Out—Walsh, 7; Shands, 9.
 Double Play—Walsh to Diach.
 Hit by Pitched Ball—Hubbard, Robinson, 2.

The last game with the College was swift, interesting, and full of excitement. The nine innings were played in one hour and twenty minutes.

Texas scored five in the first inning, and coupled up for three successive three batters in the third, scoring two more. Edwards, the second hard hitter, tried to stretch his to a home run and was put out after almost succeeding. Thrasher drove in the first three batters, and scored on Edwards' hit. Weller followed and coupled up for another drive and scored on Francis' single, making three for Texas.

Texas fairly outplayed St. Edwards, and it looked all along as if she would win. St. Edwards ran in one score in the first half of the third, and followed in the fourth with one more, on Finger's home run, the ball having been knocked over the fence. In the fifth it still looked bright for Texas, but the catcher made a wild throw to third and let in the two scores that lost the game for the orange and white.

The rest of the game was marked by good, steady playing on both sides, and plenty of excitement prevailed.

| St. Edwards | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hubbard, c | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Diach, p | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| P. Gallagher, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Finger, rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hicks, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Brien, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Gallagher, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Walsh, lb | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clark, cf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Texas | A | B | R | H | S | H | P | O | A | E |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| Robinson, lf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Thrasher, lb | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Edwards, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Weller, 3b | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Francis, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| R. Beasley, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Terrell, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Beasley, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shands, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nixon, lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

36 3 9 0 27 14 3
 Summary.
 Earned Runs—Texas, 2; St. Edwards, 1.
 Two Base Hits—Thrasher, Edwards, J. Beasley.
 Three Base Hits—Weller and Thrasher.
 Home Run—Finger.
 Bases on Balls—Shands, 2.
 Struck Out—Diach, 4; Shands, 5; Beasley, 3.
 Double Plays—Weller to Thrasher; Hubbard to Walsh.
 Hit by Pitcher—Diach.

NOTES OF INTEREST.
 In 1902-03, 194 degrees were conferred.
 The first C. E. degree was conferred in 1891-92. Only one was conferred in that year.
 The first degrees in Medicine were conferred in 1891-92. These were three in number, and all of them M. D's.
 Up to date, 1076 degrees have been conferred as follows: In Literature, Science and Arts, 648; Law, 781; Medicine, 347.
 The Medical Department has issued twenty-one certificates of proficiency in nursing: Eight in 1901, eleven in 1902 and two in 1903.

Girls, show your college spirit by refusing to take a walk with a boy in the afternoon. Make him go out for the track team.

Grand total registration for the Main University at Austin and Medical Branch at Galveston for the session of 1903-04 is 1948. Of this number 510 have registered for the regular session at Austin up to January 16, 1904.

The first degree conferred by the University of Texas was in 1883-84. There were only thirteen degrees conferred, and these were all LL. B's. Judge Yancey Lewis of the Law Department, and Hon. F. W. Gregory, of the firm of Gregory and Battle, Austin, were in this class.

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A telegram from Mr. D. J. Price, general passenger agent of the International & Great Northern railroad, was received just a few minutes before this issue went to press, informing the local officials that arrangements have been completed to turn over a special train to the University for the New Braunfels picnic. The schedule as arranged provides for leaving Austin at 8 a. m., April 21, and going straight to Landa's park without stop. Returning, leave the park at 7 p. m., arriving at Austin at 9 p. m. Tickets on sale only at the University co-op. Round trip, 75 cents.

A letter from Colonel Landa to C. W. Ramsdell, president of the Students' Association, conveys the information that the park is reserved exclusively for Varsity people that day.

A TEXAN QUESTIONNAIRE.

How many times have you asked for a pass to a ball game?

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

There is a band stand going up on the campus. Everybody is proud of the fact, and speaks about it as "our band stand." Yes, you may talk about it as your band stand. It is true that the band boys are building it at their own expense, but that does not matter. It is natural to forget that fact; also the fact that the undergraduate members of the band stayed over every Commencement, merely to play—you know it's lots of fun to play—especially when you can forego the pleasure of going home for a whole week, and pay for a week's more bliss of browsing upon Austin boarding house delicacies.

Then again the band boys only did their duty when they deeded their instruments to the University. You know we can say that "we have a complete set of band instruments." We also enjoy some rare musical treats at "below cost" prices. Of course, we need not remember that the musical organization has made this possible. All we want is something for nothing. We've been pretty successful so far. Sometime in the near future the combined musical organizations are going to give a concert. What are you going to do about it? It may cost you a half dollar. Can you stand that?

THE WORTHAM PRIZE CONTEST. CLOSE CONTEST—CLIFT WINNER.

The contest for the W. B. Wortham prize in declamation was held in the Auditorium Saturday night. All the young men acquitted themselves well, promising much for the University in the way of candidates for oratorical and debating honors in the future.

The University Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Lewis Johnson, was first upon the program, and as usual secured a hit.

Max Herman Bickler of Austin was the first speaker. His declamation was a selection from Depew, entitled "Two Spies." His effort was well received. He was the recipient of a large bouquet from admirers in the audience.

The second speaker was Don Robinson of Austin. His appearance is always a signal for a demonstration by the student body; for he is a football hero as well as an orator. His voice was as deep and melodious as one would

wish to hear. His delivery was almost perfect. He gives great promise of success in oratory. He delivered a selection from Curtis, "The Puritan Spirit." John Homer Jones of Lone Star delivered a part of Phillips' oration on "Revolutions." He was cool and deliberate, and interpreted his lines well. The main thing noticeable in his speaking is his evident earnestness.

Lawrence Lewis Montgomery of Maxwell was fourth. His declamation was taken from Watterson and entitled, "The Man in Gray." His voice was clear, ringing and sympathetic.

The fifth speaker of the evening, Lucian Walden Parrish of Joy, was another to receive an ovation. His appearance before the student body has heretofore been as the giant guard on the football team and as the champion hammer thrower of the South. His appearance before the crowd was dignified and commanding. His voice was clear and strong; his gestures graceful and expressive; his delivery excellent. His selection was, "The Minute Man of the Revolution," by Curtis.

This ended the first section of the program. The Glee Club then appeared and gave another song.

John L. Sheppard of Texarkana was the first in the second section. His selection was, "Blennerhasset," by Wirt. His position before the audience was that of an experienced speaker. He entered fully into the spirit of the wrongs of Blennerhasset, and made one feel almost as if the man were present and on trial for the great conspiracy.

The second speaker was George Olin Clough of Alma. His voice was deep and melodious. His selection from Hicks, "The Relation of the University Man to the State," was especially interesting to the audience. His delivery was pleasing and effective.

The third speaker of the second section was Jay Gould Clift of Tioga. His declamation on "Citizenship," from Frye, was well rendered. From the first question "What is Citizenship," he held his audience under the charm of his magnetic voice. He entered into the feeling of the selection and kept up interest to the last word. His closing sentences were especially good.

The fifth speaker upon the program, William Cullen Bryant, who was to speak upon "John B. Gordon," was absent on account of sickness. Everett Lloyd of Italy was the fourth and last speaker of the evening. His appearance was good. He interpreted his selection, "Puritan and Cavalier," by Watterson, almost as well as Watterson himself could have done it. He made a good impression.

J. Sid O'Keefe, ex-President of the Oratorical Association, presided. Dr. Briggs, Prof. Sutton and Mr. Gregory were the judges. The decision of the judges was two for Clift and one for Lloyd. J. G. Clift was declared winner of the prize.

The declamation contest is in some measure an indication of the work of the school of oratory. The contest Saturday night speaks well for the training of Prof. Shurter and his able assistants. The audience was delighted with the showing made.

TEXAS VS. SAN ANTONIO LEAGUE.

The San Antonio League Team will be over this week to try conclusion with the Varsity baseball team in a series of three games commencing Thursday, April 14th. These games will be the best that will be played upon the home grounds this season. Texas took the series from San Antonio last year by the hardest and scrappiest kind of playing. San Antonio has not forgot that defeat, and will put forth her every effort to wipe it out this week.

Turn out and see Texas repeat the dose of last year. Admission twenty-five cents. Grandstand twenty-five cents.

THANK YOU.

The Student's Council wishes to express its thanks to the young ladies of the University for their thoughtful kindness in coming to its rescue in decorating the Auditorium for the March second celebration. Bungle some indeed would have been the effect, had they not thrown themselves into that mass of "hard-notted" bunting and arranged it into genuine decorations, the most beautiful and appropriate in the history of these celebrations.

'Tis rumored that the co-eds are going to boycott non-track-men. Hurry up, boys. Get out on the track, and save yourselves much trouble.

Come out for the track team.

UNIVERSITY RECORD.

The University Record for March, 1904, is now out, and contains much interesting and valuable information for all interested in the University or student life.

The leading articles for this issue are "Courses of Study in Law Pursued in the University of Texas," by John C. Townes, Professor of Law; and "The Trans-Isthman Canal, a Study in American Diplomatic History (1825-1904)," by Adjunct Professor Charles Henry Huberich, D. C. L.; and "The Rights of Riparian Owners in the Matter of Irrigation," by Yancey Lewis, Professor of Law.

The remainder of The Record deals with the University: The new members of the faculty; resignations; the different phases of student life, athletics, organizations, etc.; Alumni notes of interest; table of degrees conferred, and registration statistics.

Help old Varsity by coming out for track team. This is for You.

TRACK TEAM MATINEE.

Last Saturday after the baseball game the Varsity track team gave a short but very interesting exhibition in its sprinting, jumping and running prowess.

The showing made was very gratifying to the numerous backers of Varsity's track team. The fact that the day was cool and that the boys have only been in training for a short time, led many to believe that the work would be poor. To the contrary, nearly all the men showed up well. In the sprints the starting was excellent, and the time made was very good, taking everything into consideration. The mile runners turned themselves loose and the time (5 min. and 45 sec.) augurs well for the future. The quarter milers made good time also.

The excellence of Coach Curtis as a trainer was patent to all by the way the men showed up Saturday. Under his wise supervision the Texas athletes will be in the pinkest of pink condition when the meets come around.

The following events were pulled off: 100 yard Dash—Heat I. Bowen, first; Jones, second; Blocker, third. Time 10 2-5. Heat II. Pantermehl, first; Gordon, second; Shelton, third. Time 11. Heat III. Frank, first; Lipton, second; Street, third. Time 10 4-3. Heat IV. Hall, first; Gilcrease, second; Burney, third. Time 11. Heat V. Storms, first; Wolf, second; O'Neil, third. Time 12.

440 yard Dash—Heat I. Bowen, first; Shelton, second; Jones, third. Time 58 1-5. Heat II. Ward, first; Wolf, second; Garrett, third. Time 62 1-5.

120 yard Hurdles. Pantermehl, first; Blocker, second; Cox, third. Time —. Mile Run. Brichan, first; Blankenship, second; Ammerman, third; Kerbey, fourth. Time 5 min., 45 sec.

Running Broad Jump. Blocker, first; Cox, second; Ward, third. Distance 19 feet and 1 1/2 inch.

During the past week the student body sustained a severe shock in the sudden death of Miss Lullie Wallace. She had been sick but a little over two days, and her illness was not considered dangerous until a few hours before her death, which occurred at 7 o'clock Thursday morning. In accordance with the physician's opinion, and her own wish, her relatives had not been sent for, but everything possible was done for her relief.

The news caused general and profound grief. The Freshman class, of which Miss Wallace was a member, was suspended, and the flag over the University hung at half mast. During the day friends thronged the women's building bringing with them many floral tributes. Especially do the students wish to thank the townspeople, who evinced their sympathy in so many ways. At 8 o'clock Thursday night funeral services were held in the large parlor of the women's building, which was crowded with members of the faculty and students. An uncle, accompanied by three representatives chosen from among the students, then left with the remains for San Angelo, Texas, where live Mrs. Wallace, Miss Kathleen Wallace, who was a recent attendant at the University, and two brothers.

Miss Wallace was a rarely sweet girl who made devoted friends of those associated with her. The most heartfelt sympathy is extended to those who were bereft when her soul passed out with the sunrise into the eternal morning.

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LITTLE LOCALS.

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Come out for your class track team. You are wanted.

George Burkitt spent last Sunday at his home in Houston.

Sewall Myer went to Houston last Saturday for a few days.

Say, You, Coach Curtis wants to see you on the athletic field to-day.

Miss Ethel Rather returned last week after a pleasant trip to Gonzales.

Arthur Given is now working in a mining camp in Coahuila, Mexico.

Misses Fisher and Pruitt left last Saturday to spend a few days in Elgin.

Baseball. Texas vs. San Antonio League, Athletic Field, 14th, 15th and 16th.

The Senior Engineering class went to Galveston last Saturday to inspect the seawall.

Joe Kerby has been elected assistant business manager of the football team for the coming year.

Miss Casis, professor of Spanish, was absent last week, visiting Mulhollands School for Girls in San Antonio.

C. T. Paul left last Thursday to push his claims for a seat in the next House of Representatives from Shelby County.

President Prather was absent the latter part of last week visiting the medical branch of the University at Galveston.

Misses Helen Thornton and Adele Johnson attended the Houston Rifles ball at A. and M. College last Friday evening.

Mr. C. D. Rice, instructor in mathematics, left last Saturday to visit affiliated schools at Henderson, Huntsville, Palestine and Beaumont.

The Rusk will hold its final contest in the Rusk Hall next Saturday night for the prize in declamation. The student body is invited to attend.

J. Marshall Bokridge, Junior Law, of Waxahachie, returned to his home last week on account of his eyes. It will probably be two or three weeks before he will return.

Recent advices from Henderson reveal the fact that the inimitable K. C. Miller will return to the University next year and finish his academic course and take up the law course.

B. F. Dancer, ex-'03, is here recruiting his summer salesmen to represent one of the largest publishing houses in the United States. Mr. Dancer will return to the University and finish the law course next year.

Mr. Benjamin Wyche, our ex-librarian, was back at his old place of business on a short visit last week. Mr. Wyche looked at home behind his old stand, with the exception of a long smile acquired during his stay in San Antonio, where he now has charge of the Carnegie Library of that city.

Major Brackenridge, Chairman Board of Regents, was at the University last week at the meeting of the Committee on Buildings and Grounds, to award contracts for plumbing, lighting and heating the new Engineering Building. Kenney Bros. of Dallas were awarded the contract for heating, W. A. Burke of Austin, the lighting, and a firm of San Antonio, plumbing.

W. R. Gillette withdrew from the University last week and returned to his home in Marionville, Mo. During the next few weeks he will be general manager of a large Strawberry Shippers Association, at a very lucrative salary. Later in the summer he will act in the same capacity for a fruit and vegetable canning factory. He has been offered a position as cashier of a bank in Southwestern Missouri for next year but has not yet given up his intention to return to the University next year.

C. T. Paul, of the Junior Law class, left last week for his home in Center,

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Texas, to give his attention to his candidacy for Representative from Shelby County. Mr. Paul was a student of the Academic Department of the University for two years, and during his stay here of the three years has made an enviable record as student, orator, and a fine fellow generally. The estimate had of him by his fellow students is indicated by the many positions of trust and honor given him by them, among them being that of the Presidency of the Athenaeum Literary Society over which body of men he presided with unusual ability and dignity. He is one of the most capable men the University has prepared for public life and service and he will prove an efficient and conscientious legislator if the people of Shelby County see fit to send him to the 29th body of law makers of Texas. His friends wish him the success his ability and character deserve.

GYM. CONTEST.

Professor F. Homer Curtis will hold his free exhibition in gymnastics for the benefit of the University students and the Austin public, in the University Auditorium, Thursday evening at 8:30.

Mr. Curtis has made rapid progress with the beginners' class as well as in more highly advanced work with his old men. The contest to-morrow night will be the best ever held in Austin, and new stunts, never shown before, will be the leading numbers on the program. The cup will be awarded to the champion in gymnastics for 1903-04, and medals for the winner of the different events. The following will compete:

Indian Drill to music, Key, Michael and Wall, arranged and led by Briggs.

Side Horse, Michael, Key, Edwards,

Wall, Wilkerson and Cook.

Parallels, Wilkerson, Wall, Key, Edwards and Cook.

Horizontal Bar, Key, Edwards, Cook and Wall.

Tumbling and High Diving, Lancaster, Wall, Key, Hawser, Wilkerson, Edwards, Michael and Briggs.

Pianist, Maurice Wolf.

SOCIETY.

Mrs. Rowe entertained her sister Miss White at a reception in her home on Whitis Avenue, Wednesday, May sixth. Mrs. Rowe, Miss White and Miss Fredenhaus received and the house party consisted of Misses Littlefield, Simkins, Devine, Loula Rose, Kincaid, Brackenridge, Morey, Stedman, Broyles, from the University girls, and others. It was a most delightful affair, as all who went—and they were a goodly number—testified.

Two very delightful dances graced Hyde Park last week, that of the Jubilee Club on Tuesday night and the Easter German on Friday. They were both shirt-waist affairs, and the touch of informality added gaiety to the crowd. The Easter German was a different thing from the former stately functions at the Driskill, but perhaps this last was all the more fun for that, notwithstanding many new party-frocks which remain unworn.

WOMAN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

A preliminary meeting of the Woman's Athletic Association was held last Wednesday when temporary officers were elected and a committee appointed to draft a constitution. Wednesday, the 13th, a second meeting will be held in the Woman's Gymnasium at five o'clock for the purpose of adopting the constitution and forming the permanent organization under it.

Every girl come!

STUDENT MASS MEETING.

To-day from twelve to one, President Brooks of Baylor and Regent Hyer of the Southwestern University will deliver addresses to the students of the University in the Auditorium. All classes will be suspended, and The Texan urges all the students to turn out. Both the above mentioned gentlemen are thoroughly in touch with student life and interests, and highly interesting and instructive addresses are assured.

Do you have headaches, heartaches, aches? If so, see Dr. Curtis, Open Air Office, East of Campus. Hours four to six.

Last Saturday afternoon in a secluded corner of the U. of T. library a most secretive and secret organization was founded. It bears the name of the Ancient and Accepted Independent Order of the Immortal and Most Improved Jaw Bones, or the Most High Old Five, or in short, the Immortal Jaw Boners. The following are the officers and members: Don Robinson, Most High Old Sampson; Hal Logan, Most High Old Solomon; Billie Blocker, Most High Old Simpleton; Ed O'Crane, Most High Old Satan; "Froggie" Brown, Most High Old Sambo.

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REPORT OF W. F. MARTIN.

President Y. M. C. A. for the Year Ending April 1, 1904.

University, April 3, 1904.

The Association work for the present College year opened under adverse circumstances, owing to the failure to return of Pres. Spurgeon Bell. With no leader, with no organized plan of work for new students, with no systematized plan of work in any department, the outlook was exceedingly gloomy. About the third week of the session when the Association work should have been thoroughly organized and actively aggressive, the presidential vacancy was filled and the work for the past year started up slowly.

The first work of the new president was an attempt to arouse interest in the Association by shortening the length of each meeting by beginning and closing on time, and by insisting on short, varied programs carried out by members of the Association. Insistence on personal work was repeatedly made, and the announcement of all meetings regularly posted together with frequent notices in The Texan. As a result of some or all of these, and other causes, interest began to grow and has been fairly good throughout the rest of the year.

Bible study work was slow in starting up, and the beginning did not augur well for success. Finally about the third or fourth week of the session, through the efforts of the Bible Study Committee, two small classes were organized, one in the "Life of Christ," lead by J. M. Kuehne, and the other in the "Acts and Epistles," lead by W. F. Martin. There was some increase in the numbers of these classes immediately after Christmas.

Just at the close of the year it is very gratifying to report that three new classes in Bible study have been organized. One of these classes is pursuing "Studies in Old Testament Characters," and is led by W. S. Pope; the other two are studying the "Life of Christ," and are led by L. W. Welker and D. A. Frank. Thus at the close of this past year there were about forty men engaged in systematic, daily Bible study, very much in contrast with the small number in previous years. This does not include in anyway the work done by students in the churches.

Along with the report of the work in Bible study must be mentioned the organization of two large and enthusiastic mission study classes in January. These classes are pursuing the course entitled "Effective Workers in Needy Fields," a little book containing the lives of five noted missionaries, and are led by L. W. Parrish and L. W. Welker. There are about forty men and women in these two classes, in gratifying contrast with none in previous years.

To sum up: There are now about 75 students in the University engaged in organized Bible and mission study courses under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., whereas last year at this time there were less than a dozen.

The Association has been honored with two visits from international secretaries this year. Mr. Dannenberg, traveling secretary for the student volunteer movement, was with us in December and was instrumental in organizing the mission study classes. Mr. Clayton S. Cooper, secretary of the student Bible study department, was with us in March, and was largely instrumental in the organization of the three recent Bible study classes. Both of these men have been a blessing to our Association by their presence with us.

During the year just closed the following men have represented the Association at the places named: Carl Hartmann and W. S. Pope attended the Summer Training School at Lampasas last summer, Mr. Hartmann making a voluminous written report to the president. L. W. Parrish and President Martin attended the student conference at Ruston, La., December 23-30, bringing back a volume of enthusiasm and determination for the betterment of the Association. D. A. Frank, L. W. Welker, W. S. Pope and H. K. Williams attended the state convention at Houston April 19-22. They came back boiling over with enthusiasm and pledges for greater things, some of which have already been realized.

Materially the Association is in better condition than ever before. It has disposed of more Bible and mission study books than in any previous year. Fifty new song books have been purchased since last October, and five volumes, for mission study classes, costing

\$8, have been added to the Association library, which as yet is very small and in a chaotic condition. These five books were donated by five members of the Association. This suggests an excellent way for accumulating a library.

The hand-book committee is to be congratulated on the excellent book gotten out, it being one of the best in the Association's history and one of the best of any Association in the southwest. The distribution of the hand-book is to be severely criticised, but the responsibility for last year did not rest on the committee, but on the general disorganization due to lack in leadership. Steps must be taken to prevent the sale of hand-books to Freshmen by upper classmen, which undoubtedly reflects unfavorably on the Association.

The Music Committee is deserving of special praise for the good music rendered, which has largely contributed to the interest of the Association. The quartette is worthy of special compliment.

The Religious and Finance Committees have done creditable work. The programs have usually been varied and interesting. Financially, the Association is in fairly good condition. The other committees have done some good work, but the committee work on the whole has not been satisfactory.

In looking over the field for the past year there is much for which to be grateful, but yet there are many things to be deplored. It seems that the main defect lies in general disorganization, through lack of aggressive committee work. Each committee has a specific work to do, which should be done by no other, not even the President, nor the Chairman alone. Committees have not had regular meetings as they should have had, and in too many instances the Chairman has done all the work, if any was done. This ought not to be, and must not be if a live, wide-awake, thoroughly aggressive Association is to exist.

Again, there is too much thoughtless indifference regarding the propriety and importance of energetic Christian work in the University, apart from church work, on the part of Christian students in general and members of the Association in particular. A large per cent of the former regard some form of church work as all-sufficient, failing to realize that the claims of the Y. M. C. A. on them is first for at least three important reasons:

1. It is the only distinctively Christian organization in the University and is deserving of and dependent upon their support for its existence.
2. In the Y. M. C. A. there is a vastly greater opportunity for the exercise of Christian influence on Christian and non-Christian men who are to become the influential men of the state.
3. The Y. M. C. A. stands for clean athletics, high ideals, well-rounded development, grandeur of character, manly men.

With an abiding faith in the final triumph of the noblest and best, I rest the case on its merits.

Respectfully submitted.

W. F. MARTIN.

NEW BAND STAND.

The Varsity Band is having a new stand erected on the campus, preparatory to giving the spring term open air concerts and the commencement serenades. The location is an ideal one, being southwest of the west wing and just below the hill which forms a terrace to the east and north, just suited for lounging on while listening to the music and talking to her.

The stand is octagonal in shape with eight-foot sides, has a seating capacity of thirty-two and is placed high enough above ground that the curious people who must always be right up by the band can be there and not interfere with the pleasure of others. Dr. Scott has placed a twelve-hundred candle power are light over the stand to supplant the old gasoline torches that have been used heretofore, and whether the wind blows little or much hereafter, the concerts will go on. The plans contemplate an elegant pagoda top, but owing to the lack of funds, this will not be put on till later. This piece of work on the part of this favorite and indispensable organization is deserving of praise and will long continue to be a source of great pleasure to the University public and Austin people.

The first concert of the season will be given Saturday night of this week, April 16, from 8 to 9:30.

CONCERT BY MUSICAL ORGANIZATIONS.

At last the Musical Clubs are going to be heard at their best. They have

announced that a joint concert will be given in the near future by the Band, Glee Club and Orchestra. It will be the first time of the year when the Glee Club and Orchestra will show themselves in real concert work. The Band will be in even better practice than it was when it gave its excellence complimentary concert in the fall term.

The Glee Club has been in constant, faithful practice for the last several weeks and now has a large repertoire of real, jolly, rollicking college songs, a few of them the old college classics which have been heard here before, the others new ones that are being sung by all the leading schools of the whole nation. This year's Club is composed of men with better voices and more previous training than any previous Club and is now in condition to render in a delightful manner its part of the program. It has the good fortune to have six first-class first tenors, a condition that has not existed here before and which may not exist again for a long time.

The Orchestra has been revived after being disbanded for two years and under the direction of Mr. Bohm will be one of the most enjoyable contributors to the program. It is composed of fifteen of the most experienced players in school and will render two numbers on the program.

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Today and tomorrow the competitive examinations will be held all over the United States to select two students from each State to go to Oxford in conformity with the rules governing the selection of such students.

The examinations in Texas are being held at the University and are being conducted by President Prather, President Brooks of Baylor, and Regent Hyer of Southwestern University. The successful candidates will draw fifteen hundred dollars a year for three years, and will spend their time at Oxford during the fall and winter of each year, and in traveling on the Continent during the summer.

Harry P. Steger, N. Y. Marshall and L. N. Bromberg are candidates from the University. Baylor, Southwestern and several other institutions also have several representative students entered for the places.

GOO ROOS INITIATE FOUR MEN SATURDAY NIGHT.

The weird, the mystic, the ancient and honorable Order of Goo Roos had another conclave last Saturday night, and as a result Joe B. Hatchitt, Ed Crane, F. E. Lumpkin and Guy Witt showed up Sunday morning wearing the pin of the order, as well as worn and jaded looks.

According to the annual report of President Eliot of Harvard, over 2000 students of that university take part in athletics.

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